



# Press Release

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**Daniel A. Dunlap**  
Sheriff

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July 5, 2011

Today Sheriff Dan Dunlap swore in Frank Leonbruno as the new Chief Deputy of the Lake County Sheriff's Office. Chief Leonbruno replaces William E. Crosier who retired as Chief Deputy on June 30, 2011 after 18 years of service.

Chief Deputy Frank Leonbruno has been a member of the Lake County Sheriff's Office since 1989 when he began his career as Corrections Officer in the "old jail" facility. He was promoted to Corrections Sergeant in 1990. However, since 1993 he has served as a Deputy Captain and Jail Administrator of the Corrections Division.

Leonbruno is a graduate of Borromeo College of Ohio, and has done work on a Master's degree at both WTU and the University of Virginia. He is a graduate of the FBI National Academy, the Police Executive Leadership College, the Certified Law Enforcement Executives program, and Lakeland Community College's Police Academy. During his tenure as Jail Administrator he became one of the first certified Jail Managers in the United States. Besides serving on various boards, Leonbruno teaches *Criminal Law* and *Criminology* at Lakeland Community College.

Chief Leonbruno has been married to his wife Heidi for the past 26 years. Together they have raised 2 sons; Greg and Garrett, and 2 daughters; Heather and Emelia.